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James Maroney, a switchman employed by the Metropolitan Railroad Company at 9th and U streets, was struck by a Capital Traction car about 8:30 o'clock this morn-ing. His legs were slightly injured.

his face. He was taken to the Emergency Hospital for treatment. After receiving the necessary attention he was able to go to his home, No. 2723 Dumbarton avenue.

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"I next proceed to the consideration of the charges that are supposed to justify what the gentleman from Ohio (Mr. Tayler) himself concedes to be an unusual proceeding, and which my friend on this side (Mr. Richardson of Tennessee) has demonstrated to be an unprecedented proceeding. The gentleman from Ohio bases his charges upon a court record; that some twelve years ago in the midst of our conflict in the then territory of Utah over the subject of polygamy that I pleaded guilty to the charge of a misdemeanor. The gentleman seems to be oblivious to the fact that since the date of his court record on this subject we have had two presidential amnesties proclaimed that have been applied to men disqualified by the Edmunds-Tucker act. I understand gentlemen who were lawyers to admit this fact, and they (Continued on Ninth Page.)

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tion without trial." Mr. Richardson then brought forward several precedents in support of his position. The first was the case of George Q. Cannon, who appeared in the House as a delegate-elect from Utah in 1873. Mr. Cannon was a republican. Almost identically the same charges now made against Mr. Roberts were made against Mr. Cannon. He read from the speeches of S. S. Cox of New York and other prominent democrats opposing the denial of a seat to Mr. Cannon, on the ground that it would establish a dangerous precedent and produce chaos in the future. "Those democrats," said he, "rose above party prejudice and stood by the Constitution and the right." (Democratic applause.) He also cited the case of Ramy, a colored republican from South Carolina, in the Forty-fifth Congress, where the democrats had insisted that he should have the oath administered to him. He also quoted the late President James A. Garfield in support of his contention that where the credentials presented are regular in form there is no power in the House to exclude him.

Mr. Richardson read the words of Mr. Garfield, which concluded: "There are no personal objections."

"But there are personal objectiops in the case before the House," interposed Mr. Tayler amid laughter and applause.

"Not personal objections to the memberelect," said Mr. Richardson; "personal disqualifications only are alleged."

"Yes, personal objections," shouted a member on the republican side amid another outburst. other outburst.

Mr. Richardson read from alleged interviews with Mr. Dalzell of Pennsylvania,
Mr. Steele of Indiana and Mr. Cannon of Mr. Steele of Indiana and Mr. Cannon or Illinois, in which they were alleged to have stated that Mr. Roberts was entitled to take the oath upon the prima facle evidence of his credentials.

Mr. Dalzell and Mr. Steele denied the interviews. Mr. Cannon asserted that in his

terviews. Mr. Cannon asserted that in his opinion if charges of ineligibility were made it was competent for the House to receive them now or hereafter. At the Northeast Corner 7th and L Sts. N.W., Paye

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sastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Dela-ware, Maryland and Virginia, fair tonight and Thursday; fresh south to west winds.

Weather conditions and general forecast

eastward to central Ontario with decreased energy, causing general snow over the lake regions. About fifteen inches of snow have fallen in the vicinity of Buffalo.

Another low still remains central in the British northwest, while high pressure continues in the south.

Temperatures have risen generally and decidedly east of the Rocky mountains, except near the Atlantic and guif coasts and over eastern Lake Superior.

Heavy and killing frosts continued in the

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now in the middle plateau and rain on the

orth Pacific coast.

For the first time this season there defi-

nitely appears over the middle plateau the

characteristic type of winter high pressure. Generally fair weather is indicated for tonight and Thursday in the east and south, except light snow tonight over northern

New England and snow flurries along east-

It will be warmer tonight in the gulf and

It will be warmer tonight in the gulf and south Atlantic states, and moderate temperatures are indicated generally for Thursday, except in New England, where they will remain comparatively low.

On the New England coast winds will shift to fresh westerly. On the middle Atlantic coast they will be fresh west to south, while on the south coast they will be light to fresh and variable.

The following heavy precipitation (in inches) has been reported during the past twenty-four hours: Saugeen, 1.60; Buffalo, 1.40.

The following were the readings of the thermometer and barometer at the weather bureau for the twenty-four hours beginning at 2 p.m. yesterday:

Thermometer—December 5, 4 p.m., 39, 8

tion at south connection, 36; distributing reservoir, temperature, 43; condition at in-fluent gate house, 36; effluent gate house, 36;

Tide Table.

Today—Low tide, 4:33 a.m. and 4:42 p.m.; high tide, 10:23 a.m. and 10:43 p.m.
Tomorrow—Low tide, 5:24 a.m. and 5:40 p.m.; high tide, 11:15 a.m. and 11:35 p.m.

The Sun and Moon.

Today—Sun rises, 7:08; sun sets, 4:34. Moon sets, 8:43 p.m. Tomorrow—Sun rises, 7:00.

The City Lights. Gas lamps all lighted by 5:16 p.m.; ex-tinguishing begun at 6:14 a.m. The lighting is begun one hour before the time named.

Arc lamps lighted at 5:01 p.m.; extin-guished at 6:29 a.m.

Clifton Berry was today convicted before Judge Scott of the larceny of \$1.50 from Irene Smith, and was fined \$10. He did

of pay and was sent down under sentence or thirty days.

Last evening Amelia Baptist engaged in altercation with Mamie Brooker during

an altercation with Mamie Brooker, during which the former kicked Mamie. Today Judge Scott fined the assailant \$10, with the alternative of thirty days in jail.

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Mother was so prejudiced against it that she did not care to try it again, but I got sister to make

the Postum next morning strictly according to di-rections—that is, allow it to boil full fifteen min-

ections that is, allow it to boil full fifteen min-ites after the boiling begins.

"We were all amazed at the difference. Siste

"We were all amazed at the difference. Sister said it was better coffee, to her taste, than the old, and father, who is an elderly gentleman and had used coffee all his life, appeared to relish the Postum, as well as my little brother, who took to it from the first.

'For a while mother clung to her old favorite, although she wes sick more or less of the time. Finally, one morning she drank a cup of Postum by mistile, believing it to be coffee. We joked her so nuch about it, because she did not discover the difference, that she finally admitted she had occasionally taken a sip of the Postum Coffee, and room that time she proposed to use it altogether.

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SITCIAL MEETING, DIV. 2, A. O. H., COStello's Hall, tonight (Wednesday), 8:30 o'clock, to take action on death of Bro. Las. Sullivan.

JOHN J. DOLAN, President.

TRANCE Debating the Constitutionality of

Cannot Take His Seat Before an In-

vestigation.

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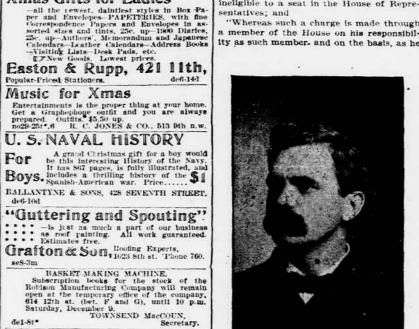
the Action.

The House of Representatives, by a vote of 302 to 30, yesterday afternoon refused to admit Mr. Roberts of Utah to his seat and directed him to stand aside until a spe-P. T. Hall, Shirtmaker. 13th & F. ctal committee determines whether he shall hereafter be admitted. This action was taken after three hours of debate, in which PRINCE AL = Men! Have a loot at this Dressy Prince Albert Coat and Ves Mr. Roberts participated. BERT COAT we're making for \$25. Et it be r Unfinleshed Wersted, Vicuns of Oxford material,

The proceedings occurred on a resolution offered by Mr. Tayler of Ohio, as follows: Roberts, a representative-elect to the Fiftysixth Congress from the state of Utah, is neligible to a seat in the House of Repreentatives; and

The Tayler Resolution.

Whereas such a charge is made through a member of the House on his responsibil-ity as such member- and on the basis, as he



Mr. Roberts

From his most recent photograph by Bell. asserts, of public records, affidavits and papers evidencing such ineligibility; "Resolved, That the question of the prima facie right of Brigham H. Roberts to be lacte right of Brighlam H. Roberts to be sworn in as a representative from the state of Utah in the Fifty-sixth Congress, as well as his final right to a seat therein as such representative, be referred to a special committee of film members of the House to be appointed by the Speaker; and until such committee shall report upon and the House decide such question and right the said Brigham H. Roberts shall not be sworn in or be permitted to great respective sworn in or be permitted to occupy in this House; and said committee have power to send for persons and and examine witnesses on oath in re

to the subject matter of this re The Richardson Substitute.

Mr. Richardson of Tennessee offered as substitute the following "Whereas Brigham H. Roberts, from the state of Utah, has presented a certificate of election in due and proper form as a representative from said state; therefore

"Resolved. That without expressing any opinion as to the right or propriety of his retaining his seat in advance of any proper investigation thereof, the said Brigham H. "Resolved further. That when sworn in

his credentials and all the papers in rela-tion to his right to retain his seat he re-ferred to the committee on the judiciary with instructions to report thereon at the with instructions to report thereon at the carliest practicable moment."

The first vote was on the Richardson substitute. It was a rising vote, and was 249 yeas to 59 ayes. Then the question recurred upon the Tayler resolution, which on a roll call was adopted, 302 to 30. Those

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The Speaker then appointed the following members as the special committee under the resolution:

Republicans—Tayler (Ohio), chairman; Landis (Ind.), Morris (Minn.), Freer (W. Va.), Littlefield (Me.), McPherson (Iowa), Democrats—DeArmond (Mo.), Lanham (Tex.) and Miers (Ind.).

Mr. Tayler Opens the Debate. Adamson, Allen (Miss.), Bailey, Ball,

Mr. Tayler Opens the Debate. Mr. Tayler of Ohio opened the debate on the resolution. "I am not unmindful of the importance of the question the House is about to de-cide," said Mr. Tayler. "It is unusual, but not unprecedented. We do not undertake to determine the right of the claimant to a

Miss Adah Roberts. Photo by Johnson, Salt Lake. (Copyright, 1899, by the Johnson Co.)

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the bar of the House and omit the administration of the oath until the House shall determine that right.

"Mr. Speaker, Utah was admitted as a state into the Union on the 4th day of January, 1896. These are the alleged facts against the claimant: First, that he was indicted in February, 1887, for unlawful co-habitation under the Edmunds act, and pleaded guilty April 29, 1889, and was incarcerated on that account in the penitentiary for four months. Second, that he has tiary for four months. Second, that he has persistently from that time forward down to a recent date been gullty of the offenses of unlawful cohabitation and also that he has continued from the date of his convictions of the control of the contro tion, and is now a polygemist.

"By the alleged facts these questions are occasionally taken a sip of the Postum Coffee, and from that time she proposed to use it altogether. Her health has been very greatly improved, and we are all strong advocates of Postum. Please omit my name from publication."——, Flagler, Co., Name; can be given by Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.

Inired. If he continued to be the head of more than one family under his original polygamous marriage contract after the 1st of November, 1800, and without polygamous cohabitation, then is he not a polygamist under the definition of the Supreme Court in the case of Murphy vs. Ramsay? "Fourth. May not the facts, if established, and independent of any law creating meligibility, justify the House in refusing admission to Roberts? "Fifth Does not the compact created between the United States and the state of Utah by the proclamation enabling act and Constitution justify the House in refusing to admit a representative from that state who is today, under the definition of the Supreme Courts, a polygamist? "Sixth. May it not be that upon a careful examination of the law it will be found that the claimant is not a citizen of the United States, and if not, of course, incligible?" cligible?
"Seventh Is it wise, if the facts be as alleged, unless we are absolutely without power to keep Roberts out, to subject his ease to the doubtful process of expulsion? "Doubtful for two reasons:

nation he was not pardoned by that proc-

"This situation, assuming the facts to be

"First. If Roberts was convicted as stat-ed, is the burden on him to affirmatively

bring himself within the embrace of the

"Second. If he was guilty of polygamous

cohabitation after November 1, 1890, is he cot without the benefit of the proclama-

Third. If he continued to be the head

as alleged, raises several questions.

amnesty proclamation?

Question of Expulsion. "First, because it requires the concurrence of two-thirds to expel him. "Second, because very eminent lawyers from the beginning of the government down the present time have taken the position that the House has no right to expel except for some misconduct while a member, and relating to his office as a member. In the Thirty-fifth Congress, in the Mattison case, a committee, by an all but unanimous voice, reported that the House had no

Constitutional Qualifications Mr. Tayler then went into a legal argument in support of the proposition that Congress had the right to hold Mr. Roberts ineligible to sit as a member of Congress. He contended that the language of the Constitution with respect to the qualifications of members of the House was negative in Its character, and that with Congress was left the right to add to those qualifications. He then cited as precedents for the present course the cases of Proctor Knott, Boyd Winchester and John M. Rice of Kentucky,

who were charged with disloyalty after the war, and concluded as follows:
"Mr. Speaker, we are told that this will make an unhappy precedent. Precedent! Why, what we do here we do before the open and gazing eyes of the world, and we are at once dragged to the bar of history to answer for our deeds. We are in no close. answer for our deeds. We are in no clois-ter court. We are no statute-bound tri-bunal. We are the servants of the people, empowered, thank God, under the Consti-

Mr. Richardson Replies. to reject a representative-elect who appeared at the bar of the House with his credentials in due form. If he was denied admission, a precedent would be created which would rise to plugue the House in years to come. The only constitutional objection raised against the member-elect related to his naturalization, and that, Mr. Richardson asserted, would not hold. He defied the other side to produce a single precedent where objection was raised to the administration of the oath except on constitutional grounds. The precedents cited were made during the war, and were not to be relied upon. In those days the Constitution was written with the sword. They had all been since overruled, after the passions that followed the war had subsided.

Mr. Richardson declared that the minority was in no wise bound by his position. He spoke for himself alone. He was willing to say that if the charges against the

He spoke for himself alone. He was willing to say that if the charges against the member-elect were proven he should favor his expulsion. "If there is one thing the American people are a unit upon," said he, "it is that the American home shall be preserved in all its loveliness, sweetness and purity." (Applause.)
"But," he proceeded, "it is not wise to permit our judgment to be warped by public clamor. To do so amounted to condemna-

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Mr. Roberts Defends Himself. Mr. Roberts took the floor in his own defense after Mr. Richardson had con-He occupied a conspicuous place immediately in front of the clerk's desk. Several legal volumes were piled up in front of him and a bouquet of carnations power, mean and low and yile as the character of that man was, as exhibited by his conduct before that time, to expel him, because it had no right to expel a man for that which had occurred prior to his election to Congress: lay upon his desk. The most intense interest was manifested as he arose. Members crowded about, but were compelled to retire to their seats. The galleries were hushed. The occupants leaned over to listen, eager to let no word escape. Mr. Roberts first sent to the clerk's desk and had read his naturalization papers. He and had read his naturalization papers. He then began to speak. His voice was soft and low, but his enunciation was distinct, and in the stillness could be heard to the farthest corner of the hall. As he got into his argument, however, his voice grew louder until on several occasions it rang out until the fretted ceiling overhead gave back the echo. Mr. Roberts began, as trated by sending to the clerk's desk and out until the fretted ceiling overhead gave back the echo. Mr. Roberts began, as stated, by sending to the clerk's desk and having read a copy of his naturalization papers in order, as he said, that all the documents in this extraordinary case should be before the House. He then read a paragraph from McCreary on elections containing a general caution against hasty procedure in election contests.

"Now, gentlemen," continued Mr. Roberts, "that is the statement of one whose book has authority in this country. And if it is the rule of the House of Representatives in cases that arise to the dignity of a contest how infinitely more should that rule be observed when only a mere protest is made against a member who presents himself to take the oath of office.

"I next proceed to the consideration of

empowered, thank God, under the Consti-tution, to do the right as we see the right. That is the law to us. The public eye is on us, the public conscience quickens us. In that presence and before such a judge we can do no wrong if we but obey it." (Ap-plause on the republican side.)

Mr. Richardson, the minority leader, followed Mr. Tayler. He did not intend, he said, to discuss the merits of the case. The question in Issue was as to whether the representative-elect (Roberts) had a primafacie right to his seat. He was not willing to reject a représentative-elect who ap-

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